Corporate Name and Powers.

All inhabitants of the State of Connecticut thereinafter called "this State", being electors thereof deeling within the territorial limits of the corporation between the name of the State of Connecticut thereinafter called "this State", being electors thereof deeling within the territorial limits of the corporation between the name of the City of Norwich and the retritorial limits of the corporation between the name of the City of Norwich, "the forever hereafter romain a bedy, which forever hereafter romain a bedy, but the name of "The City of Norwich," the house on the southerly side of Hanckier Street to a point on a line that passes through a mount in range with the westerly side of the corporate in fact and in the southerly ride of Benthal of successors small have perpetual successors and being turbleaded in all suits of what nature smelled in all suits of what nature smelled in all suits of what nature smelled in the season's westerfly by said last made on the passage of any ordinance on the southerly side of Laurel Hill Avelones and being turbleaded in all suits of what nature smelled line to the easterly side of the passage of any ordinance on the westerly side of Laurel Hill Avelones and enter or change the same at pleasure, and shall be vested with, and possess and entery or change the same at pleasure, and shall be vested with, and possess and entery which before and at the vested with and possess and entery which before and at the vested with and possess and entery which before and at the vested with and possess and entery which before and at the vested with the mouth of Poquetanuck was a common seal.

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SECTION 2.

Relation of Inhabitants in City and Town The Inhabitants living within the limits of said city shall be and remain a part of the Town of Norwich.

SECTION L.

Territorial Limits and Boundaries, The territorial limits and boundaries of the city as heretofore established shall remain the same until changed by act of the reneral assembly and without va-

riation to any extent whatever the City's territorial limits and bounds existing and established at the adoption of this charter shall be as follows, to wit: Reginning at the culvert in Trading under the center of the New Lon-Northern Railroad track and running northerly along the center of said track to the center of the culvert under said track near the property of the Ironsaids Board Corporation; thence north 221, degrees west about 4835 fact to a mercetone on the northwesterly side of Beginning on the northerly line of the City of Norwich at the westerly shore of the Yantio River and running southerly

mercestone on the northwesterly side of West Main street 30 feet northeasterly from the northerly corner of West Main and Maple streets.passing through merestones on the easterly side of West Thames street and near the center of Elizabeth street; thence northerly to the northeasterly corner of the main part of the dwelling bouse on the southeasterly side of Maple street owned by Harriet A. Sweet; thence northerly to a mercetone Sweet: thence northerly to a merestone boundary line between the of Lonis Cuprak and land of Fred Tourtelotte; thence northerly in a straight line to a merestone in Starr street 200 feet southwesterly from the westerly corner of the house owned by Vincenty and Julia Kerycki; thence in the last described line centimos northerly \$80 feet; thence

centimoed northerly \$80 feet; thence northeasterly to a merestone on the easterly side of Asylum street where was formarly situated the northerly and of the Russel Hubbard paper mill; thence northeasterly to a point in the center of the New London Northern Railroad track at the face of the southerly abutment of the railroad bridge crossing the Tantic river near the Tantic Cemetery; thence northerly to the northwesterly corner of the Tantic Cemetery; thence assterly by the northerly line of the Yantic Cemetery to the westerly line of Lafayette Bireet; to the westerly side thereof; ratirons bridge crossing the Tantic river pear the Tantic Cemetery; thence northerly along the westerly side of the ined.

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ington Street entrance to Mohegan Park in the sasterly line of Washington Street; Shetucket River in range with the center of Roath Street and running north-Shetucket five and along the center of Roath Street to the center of Boswell Avenue; thence northeasterly along the center of of Boswell Avenue to the center of Pratt Street; thence northerly along the center of Pratt Street and said line extended to the center of the Greenville entrance to the center of the Greenville entrance of Mohegan Park; thence westerly along the center of said entrance to the cast-stand said line extended to the center of said entrance to the cast-stand said line extended to the center of said entrance to the cast-stand said line extended to the center of said entrance to the cast-stand said line extended to the center of said entrance to the cast-stand said line extended to the control of the police and the fire forces of the city, or either of them for a period mot exceeding five days, at his discretion to exceeding five days, at his discretion of Aldermen shall provide for the holding of a new election within thirty westerly corner of what was formerly westerly corner of what was formerly along the center of the City Clerk.

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To assume entire control and direction of the city, or either of them for a period to the city, or either of the city or either of the city, or either of thence northerly along the easterly line of Washington Street about 100 fest; thence sasterly, northerly and easterly sleng the northerly, westerly and northg the northerly, westerly and north-sides of said entrance land to the riv to the northwesterly corner of ald Park; thence north-northwesterly line of Mohegan have northwesterly line of Mohegan Park to Mohegan Lake; themce northwesterly and southeasterly by the score of said lake to the land conveyed by William H. Bushnell to the City of Norwich for a public park; thence is northwesterly to the corthwesterly corthwesterly to the corthwesterly cort westerly line of said Park; thence north-

Central District.

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December in the year 1922 and biennially thereafter there shall be hold a City Election and the said election shall be the tregular biennial election of said city.

Special City Elections may be called Board shall be absent or disqualified from wherly end of the house owned by and ordinances of said city may prescribe, althe Rossmark: thence southwesterly or as the Board of Aldermen may deter-

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tharter; or to take action on any recom mendation, previously adopted by said Board of Aldermen, to issue Municipal Bends in addition to such Municipal Voting Districts.

The City of Norwich shall be divided into six voting districts which shall be the legal voting Districts at all City Elections.

Beginning on the easterly side of the Yantic Cove at the southerly boundary of the land of the Falls Company and At each said biennial election held at such hours and places as hereinafter provided, the electors of said city shall choose the following officers to wit:—A of the land of the Fails Commany and visiod. The electors of said city shall running easterly by said boundary line and said line extended to the center of Mayor, a Clerk, a Treasurer, a Collector. Tantic Street: themse easterly by the center of Boswell Avenue; thence southerly by the center of Roath Street to the center of Boswell Avenue; thence westerly by the Shetucket River to the Thames River; thence westerly to the westerly shore of the Thames River; thence westerly to the Westerly shore of the Thames River; thence westerly to the westerly shore of the Thames River at a point in range of the Thames River at a point in range case of the Thames River at a point in range of the Thames River at a point in range of the Thames River at a point in range of the Thames River at a point in range of the Thames River at a point in range of the Thames River at a point in range of the Thames River at the Thames River at

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At each said blace of said offices, at such time as this charter shall become effective, shall hold office until the first day of January in the year 1923 and until their successors shall have been respectively chosen and qualified.

as aforesaid, the electors of said City shall choose eleven members of the Board of Aldermen as follows:— The Central District shall choose three mbers residing in said district;

along the westerly shore of the Yantle River, Yantle Cove and Thames River to The West District shall choose two nembers residing in said district; The North District shall choose two the southerly boundary of the City of Norwich; thence northerly, westerly, northerly and easterly along the westerembers residing in said district; The Greeneville District shall choose we members residing in said district; The East District shall choose one ly, southerly, westerly and northerly boundary of the City of Norwich to the place of beginning.

member residing in said district; The South District shall choose one mber residing in said district. Beginning on the easterly side of the Yantio Cove in range with in southerly line of the land of the Pa'ls Coppany the term of two years from the first and running westerly across sald Yantio day of January next following sald Cove in range with said boundary line election and until their successors shall The eleven members of said Board of Aldermen, so chosen, shall hold office for the term of two years from the first

have been respectively chosen and qualuntil the first day of January in the year 1923 and until their successors shall have been chosen and qualified.

SECTION 9.

Places and Hours of City Elections. The Court of Common Council for the first blennial election to be held in said city on the first Monday in the month

shall be a vacancy in the office of Mayor or whenever that officer shall be temcorrected list as residing outside the limits of said city shall be, nevertheless, entitled to vote, but only in the district in which he resides at the time of said election.

SECTION 6.

Biennial Elections, Special Elections.

Special City Meetings.

On the first Monday in the month of December in the year 1922 and blennially thereafter there shall be the tion and the said election of said city. Special City Elections may be called and hald in such manner as the by-laws and ordinances of said city may preser be, and ordinances of said city. joy all the rights and powers until the until his successors at qualification of either the president or pointed and qualified. vice-president of said Board or until. There shall be in sa

another Mayor may be elected as herein

Oath of Officers. All elective and appointive o cers of said city shall be sworn or affirmed to the faithful discharge of their duties; and the form of the cath or affirmation to be administered to them shall be as follows "You having been elected (or appointed) ity of Nerwich, do swear that you wi

faithfully discharge the duties of said of-fice, according to your best skill and judgment, so help you God" or, 'You hav-ing been elected (or appointed) of the City Norwich, do solemnly and sincerely a

irm and declare that you will faithful ischarge the duties of that office, a ording to your best skill and judgmen con the pains and penalties of perjury goon the pains and penalties of perfury.
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first sworn or affirmed, according to the
charter, or by any other officer authorize
by law to administer oaths. And the
person administering such oath or affirmation shall give a certificate thereof the person to whom he administered which certificate shall be recorded in records of said city before the person whom it is given shall be qualified to ex-ecute the office to which he has been chosen,

SECTION 18. Mayor.

The Mayor shall be the chief executive officer of said city, and shall have been a legal voter and resident of said city for the five years immediately preceding his election and shall reside in the city during his term of office.

Duties of Mayor.

It shall be the duty of the Mayor:—
Toy cause the laws and ordinances to be executed and enforced, to inform the City Attorney of all violations of law brought to his attention and to conserve the peace within said city. He shall be responsible for the good order and effi-cient government of said city. cient government of said city.

To fill by appointment offices and vacancies in all elective or appointive offices to said city, and to report, in writing, all such appointments to the Board of Aldermen at the meeting thereof next following said appointments:

To communicate to the Board of Aldermen during the work of the communicate in the Board of Aldermen where the work of the communicate in the Board of Aldermen where the work of the communicate in the Board of Aldermen where the work of the communicate in the Board of Aldermen where the work of the communication is a second control of the communication of

men during the month of July next succeeding his election, and quarterly, there after, a general statement of the condi-tion of the city in relation to its govern-ment, finances, public improvements, and affairs, with such recommendations as

he may deem proper;
To call special meetings of the Bonro of Aldermen when he may deem it ex pedient :

To sign all bonds, notes and deeds and all written contracts of the city made in accordance with this charter or the ordinances and not otherwise specifically provided for; To call together, at his discretion, for

consultation and advice upon the affairs of the city any or all commissioners, officers, superintendents and directors of the several departments of the city and at such meetings he may call for such reports as he deems necessary and advis-

To either approve or disapprova, in writing, every vote, resolution, order or ordinance passed by the Board of Alder-men. If he approve it or fail to take action within ten days after the passage thereof, such vote, resolution, order or ordinance passed by the Board of Aldermen shall become operative and effective. In case the Mayor shall fall to take ac-tion upon any vote, resolution, order, or ordinance passed by the Board of Aldermen, within ten days after the passag-thereof, the City Clerk shall endorse the fact upon the vote, resolution, order, or ordinance. If he disapprove it he shall Example 20 St. 190 feet contresserily from the southeasterily corner of the house on said Farrell land and of the center of Pratt Street; there southeasterily from the southeasterily form the from the southeasterily from the southeasterily form the southeasterily form the from the following form the southeasterily form the from the following form the southeasterily form the following form the southeasterily form the following form the southeasterily form the following form the southeasterily f

a Corporation Counsel, to serve for two years after his appointment and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.

SECTION 17. The said Corporation Counsel, appointed as aforesaid, shall be the legal adviser of the city and its departments, and t shall be his duty to represent said city in all civil actions in any court wherein said city is interested, and to give his each city on all civil actions in any court wherein said city is interested, and to give his carrillar, onlying when so requested upon It shall be his duty to represent said city in all civil actions in any court wherein said city is interested, and to give his written opinion when so requested upon any legal question which may be submitted to, him by the Mayor, or by the Board of Aldermen, or the chairman of any committee of the Board of Aldermen upon any subject pending before said committee, or by any department, or by any public official with the written consent of the Mayor. All opinions so given hy-him shall be recorded in an indexed book, which book shall be kept in the official bond of such officer, if any officer, if any is the controller's office and give notice thereof to him or his less than the controller's office and give notice thereof to him or his less than the controller's office and give notice thereof to him or his less than the controller's office and give notice thereof to him or his less than the controller's office and give notice thereof to him or his less than the controller's office and in the controller's office and give notice thereof to him or his less than the authority making the shall cause notice thereof to said of the authority making the shall cause notice thereof to said of the authority making the shall cause notice thereof any of the earth of the same upon the death, resignation, removal, or the explication of the term of any officer, and if the authority making the shall cause notice thereof the source of the same upon the death, resignation, removal, or the explication of the term of any officer, and if said officer, and if said officer, and if of the term of any officer, and if said officer shall be found indebted to chook with the treasurer and if said officer shall be found indebted to chook with the corporation of the term of any officer, and if said officer, and if said officer shall be found indebted to chook with the corporation of the term of any officer, and if said officer and if said officer and if said officer, and if said officer, and if said officer, and if said officer and if said officer after such opinions are given. He shall, when so directed by the Mayor, on the ordinance. He shall annually, on or be-fore the first day of February make a written report to the Mayor of his doings for the fiscal year next preceding, show-ing the condition of all unfinished busi-ness in his hands, and he shall at any other time give to the Mayor all further additional information that the Mayor may desire in regard to said counsel's

The Mayor may fill any vacancy in the city require it.

Controller.

There shall be a Controller of said city who, on the first day of January in the year 1923 and biennially thereafter, shall be appointed by the Mayor with the approval, in writing, of a majority of the members of the Board of Finance, ex-clusive of said Mayor and said Con-The Controller, so appointed shall hold office for a term of two years from the time of his appointment and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified. The Controller shall, under the charter and the ordinances, be subject to the general direction of the Board of Finance of said city in all matters re-lating to the financial affairs of the city, except as herein otherwise expressly pro-vided. The Controller, whenever absent or otherwise incapable of acting, may by appointment in writing, approved by the Board of Finance, filed in the office of the city clerk and recorded in the rec-ords of the city, designate a cierk in the Controller's office to act as Controller. and when so appointed and acting there-under, said clerk shall have and exercise such of the powers, duties, and authority of the Controller and only such, as may be specified in said appointment, unless and until revoked by either the Con-troller or sald Board of Finance, in writ-and publishing notices of ordinances, retroller or said Board of Finauce, in writing, filed and recorded, as provided for said appointment.

SECTION 22.

He shall audit immediately after the irst day of each month the accounts of first day of each month the accounts of the several departments and all of said officers who receive, pay out, or dispose of the money or other property of the city; shall make proper comparisons of the same, and report his findings to the Mayor and a duplicate thereof to the Treasurer; he shall daily audit the cash account of the Treasurer for the last previous day, and certify at the foot of the treasurer. without it is the fine of the control of the contro

shall have an office in the City Hail, and shall keep the same open during such hours as the Board of Finance may di-

dexed book, which book shall be kept in the office of the City Clerk and shall be the property of the city, and such opinions as the Mayor shall direct shall be published in the year book issued next after such opinions are given. He shall, Notice of the audit shall be given by the when so directed by the Mayor, or the when so directed by the Mayor, or the Board of Aldermen, represent the city in all matters pending before the gaperal assembly, affecting the interests of said city, and he shall perform all other legal services which may be required of him by the Board of Aldermen or by law or the fact of service thereof, shall be filed. SECTION 27.

City Clerk.

The Controller shall be the auditing committee for the Board of Water Commissioners, otherwise, nothing in the foregoing sections of this charter relating to the powers and the duties of a Controller shall be construed as affecting the methods of accounting, receiving money, SECTION 12. and paying money, which are at presch employed, or which may hereafer be enmaid office and he may employ substitute pleyed, by the Board of Water Commissioners or by the Board of Gas and Electronical if in his opinion, the interests of trical Commissioners of said city.

SECTION 19.

The City Clerk, in office at such time as this charter shall become effective shall hold office until the first day of January in the year 1923 and until his cossor shall have been chosen and qualified. There shall be a City Clerk, elected a hereinbefore provided, and he shall make and keep true records of all the votes are proceedings of said city.

He shall also be the clerk of the Boar of Aldermen and the clerk of the Board of Finance, and he shall make and heat true records of all the votes and proceed ings of said Board of Aldermen and sa Board of Finance, He shall also be the Mayor's secretary. He shall perform all cierical service as may be required by the ordinances said city. He shall send immediately after takes effect, a copy of any ordinated resolution or order of the Boar of Aldermen to each department or office affected thereby.

He shall cause to be published any cli charter.

He shall keep, in suitable books, accounts with each of the city departments, with such of the city officers as may be designated by the Board of Finance, and such other accounts as the city ordi-nances or said Board of Finance may 61-shall note therein, at the sections of

ourd of Finance, prescribe the form of said city and he shall add thereto any a-

If any person shall hinder, obstruct, resist or advase the Mayor in the execution of the office, or when ordered to render assistance to the Mayor in the execution of the office, or when ordered to render assistance to the Mayor deling of a majority of each of Finance in writing. If any sufficient age and ability shall refuse or neglect to do so, such offender, being thereof duly convicted, shall pay a fine stall be part of the duties imposed by law upon texceeding one hundred dollars, or shall be imprisoned in the country spin not to exceed Five Himdred Dollars for January 1822 and an until his successors shall be dided, that the fax required for said expenses affail be held on the grand did or the grand did or the grand did or the grand of the duties, or far other play remove the same of the said city. The fax to be leveled in each year 1923, and shall be collectible on any far the fast of Finance in writing. If any thereof duly convicted, shall pay a fine stall be provided the country spin not to exceed Five Himdred Dollars for January 1822 and an until his successors shall be added in the grand and until the successors shall be delectible on and thave seen chosen and qualified.

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Additional Counsel.

The Corporation Counsel, in office at successors shall be defect the fast of the same when said clare are so numbered and entered the City Treasurer for the several amounts due, presented to the Collector, or his successors shall had office until the first day of Agril to be labeled to each year shall be collectable on any state of the same when any order and any of Agril or the grand list of said city.

The Corporation Counsel, in office at such that such a successors shall be controlled, and shall place said orders in the successors shall be controlled. The said clare are so numbered and entered the City Treasurer Lord to the duties imposed by law upon the said city.

The Corporation Counsel, the first day of Agril or the grand list

ounselor-at-law of this state for not less claimant is doubtful, said claimant and certificates of their release and dis said rate shall be collectible on and after counselor-at-law of this state for not less than ten years, and a resident of said than ten years, and a resident of said the pears, in the years, the best of the person, in whose favor the office. On the first day of January, and on the first day of every second January and on the first day of every second January thereafter the Mayor shall appoint a Corporation Counsel, on the year 1922 the Mayor shall appoint a Corporation Counsel, on the year shall appoint a Corporation Counsel, to serve for two

The Controller shall give such bond as law and which shall have been due and the Board of Finance may direct. He unpaid for a period of one year; and I SECTION 20.

Said Collector shall, before thre-clock in the afternoon of each business day, deposit with the Treasurer of sai the twenty-four hours then ended, and shall take the Treasurer's receipt for the stin. Said Collector shall give such bond as the Heard of Finance may direct

City Sheriffs,

ch time as this charter shall become t stancements shall have been chosen and

The Sheriffs of said clay, elected s hereinbefore provided, shall, within th limits of the same, lieve the same powe and authority on the Stieriffs of the cour-ties, and shall be liable to the same perlities and suits for narlect of ducy. The Sheriffe shall severally give In surety, in each amount, manners as the Board of Finance Stall

cribe, for the faithful discharge of other respective offices; and ase of the refusal to qualify of neglect of either of said officers to give suc-counts, his office shall be deemed variantly such refusal or neglect, and the Mayor

BOARDS AND DEPARTMENTS. Thus shall be the following Doon

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as control of the Board of Pal-Park Department which shall b to control of the Board of Par.

Water Department which shall be the control of the Board of Water A Gas and Electrical Department which hall be under the control of he Loard.

ordinance and record the same, and re-cord the publication and enactment of the same as hereinafter provided in this He shall make upon the records of said There shall be Perer Assessors, chosen

olutions or orders passed by the Board

Aldermen. SECTION 20. He shall forever preserve not less the fected, the said amendments. He shall similarly preserve not less

than three copies, of ditions to, or any repeal or amendant Said copies of the charter and of the ordinances shall be and remain the prop-

crty of said city.

He shall have an office at the city hall and shall keep the same open during such hours as the ordinances of said city shall

qualified.

There shall be a City Treasurer who each January thereather he shall appoint shall be elected as hereinbefore provided, two citizen members of said beard for a who, except as otherwise provided, shall term of two years from their have the same source.

shall be the duty of the Corporation Whenever any tax due to said city i whated, the authority making the ment shall cause notice thereof

SECTION 37.

The Sheriffs in said city, in office

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SECTION 30. Assessing

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SECTION 49. Electrical Inspector. There shall be an Electrical Inspector, thosen, and with powers and duties, as acceluation provided.

SECTION 4L

THE BOARD OF FINANCE.

How Constituted, The Board of Finance shall consist of as Mayor, who shall be its presiding of-ecr, the Controller, and one Alderman, the shall be elected by the Heard of from the sale of such bonds. and annually thereafter; and four citi made that not more than four members mine the amount of bonds if any, that of said board shall at any time belong to shall be required of any effect of said

ar 1923, the Mayor shall subject to approval of the Board of Addermon, point two other citizens for a term of two month of January, 1924, and is commissions and fees ecommended shall be submitted to the Board of Address for a term of two years from their appointment of the province and th

SECTION 43, It shall be the duty of said bough to slong or fees shall not be increased or hold a regular meeting on some day to decreased during the terms be fixed by said board, and the Mayor the said officers respectively, may call a special meeting at any time. on reasonable personal notice to members thereof, or on written or printed notice sent to the residence of each men ber, or malled to him by the clerk of said board, at least forty-eight hours hefore the time of holding meeting.

SECTION 44.

Approval of Claims and Accounts. It shall be the duty of said board carefully to examine and consider all claims and accounts against the city submitted justly due. SECTION 45.

Budget and Taxation for Part of Year 1923 not Otherwise Provided For. In the year 1923, on or before the tenth day of February, the Board of Finance shall make estimates of the moneys necessary to be appropriated for the ex-

penses of said city for the remaining portion of the year 1923, that is from May 16, 1923, to January 1, 1924, and said board shall estimate the amount to be raised by taxation to meet said ap-propriations, and the mode of procedure in the matters of sald appropriations and eaid taxation shall, mutatic mutandis, be the same as prescribed in the section of this charter immediately following: Pro-pided, that the tax required for said ex-not to exceed Five Hundred Dollar

Beginning in the year 1913, and annually thereafter, on or before the tenth day of October, the Board of Finance shall make collinates of the moneys necessary shall make estimates of the money, covary to be appropriated for the ex-penses of said city for the year ment ensuing, beginning January first, and of the amount to be raised by taxation and required to meet the same, and shall required to meet the same, and shall classify the said expenses under appro-priate heads and departments. In the priate heads and departments. In the preparation of said estimates, said Board of Finance shall give due consideration to all petitions, duly made and presented to the proper boards, and praying for appropriations to meet special expenditures for the propess set forth in sate petitions, and said Board of Finance may sive public hearings on the matters core peritons, and said found of Finance may give public hearings on the matters cov-tred by said petitions and on such other matters of estimates as may be deemed desirable or as may be called for at said public hearing. And furthermore, in the preparation of said estimates said Board of Finance shall give netics to each board or department, of a definite time and place where they will meet to correider When the said Board of Pinance shall have completed the estimates as shors provided. It shall recommend such amount to be raised by taxation on the

such expenses. Said estimates and the recommended amount to be raised by tagation shall be submitted to the Board of Alforness on or before the first Monday of Novem-ber, next succeeding, and within fire days after said submission, shall be pubclare after said submission, shall be published once in each of two daily ferminances in said city; and after such sub-lication and defers the 20th day of said month of Navember said Board of Aldermen shall protect to consider and an upon said estimates, and said appropriations and the amount to be raised by taxallon, so reported by the Board of Finance to said floand of Aldermen shall be final, and the appropriations and amount to be raised by taxallon and the appropriations and amount to be raised by taxallon and the separation shall be final. amount to be raised by variation shall be the legal appropriations and the legal amount to be raised by taxation for said city, unless chinges by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Aldermen; but said Board of Aldermen shall not have power to increase the appropriations or any item thereof, or the amount to be ruled by taxation as resommended by the Board of Finance nor shall said Board of Aldermen reduce any item fixed by said Board of Finance for the payment of interes or account of the payment

taxable property within the limits of said city as it shall deem necessary to meet

interest or principal of the manicipal bt. But the 1019) amount of such an-ual appropriations for any one year half not exceed the estimated income or that year, mer shall any city or defor that year, nor shall any city or de-partment officer or Hoard of Commis-sioners of said city make any expendi-tures except for the objects and pus-poses specified by said Board of Alder-men. Nor shall any city or expense to city incur any liability or expense by contract or otherwise for which said city whall be responsible in excess of the ap-propriations so made by said Board of Finance and said Roard of Alderson. The Feard of Finance, with the ap-proval of two-thirds of the Board of Al-dermen, shall have power to expend for public recupions parades, concerts and celebrations an amount not exceeding \$1,000.00 in any one year.

SECTION 45.

Truporary Loubs. The Board of Finance may provide at The Board of Finance may provide at any time for the discounting, at current rates of interest, of all sums assessed for taxes, but not yet payable. Said board shall have power, in the name of the city, to borrow, on notes samed by the Mayor and the City Transurer, such sums from time to time, as in its existion may be needed for city purposes, in anticipation of such taxes as shall have been previously laid, and in anticipation of the sale of bunds which may have been ordered by the Board of Aldermen in accordance with Board of Aldermen in accordance with this charter, and for no other purpose;

SECTION 49.

The Board of Finance, as seen as pos prescribe.

He shall devote his entire time to the service of the city, and he shall have be other occupation during his term of of-fice.

He shall give such bonds as the Board He shall be paid for his services, excepting shall be paid for his services, excepting the Corporation Coursel, the Cotty Transper, the City Collector, the City the C On the first day of January, in the species and other officers, if any, that the approval of the Board of Alderman, appoint two citizens for a term of the species and the commissions and the species for a term of the species and the species and the species and the species of the Board of Alderman, appoint two citizens for a term of the Fire Department, the City Shoriffs, the Assessors, the Electrical Inspect to the Fire Department, the City Shoriffs, the Assessors, the Electrical Inspect to the Fire Department, the City Shoriffs, the Assessors, the Electrical Inspect to the Fire Department, the City Shoriffs, the Assessors, the Electrical Inspect to the Fire Department, the City Shoriffs, the Assessors, the Electrical Inspect to the Assessors and the Electrical Inspect to the Electr

specific salaries, commissions or fees for the officers until the first day of Janu-ary suppossing the next blennial city slection, and the said salaries commis-

Form of Surely Roads.

The bonds of all City Officers shall be taken to the City of Norwich, conditioned for the faithful performance of the deties of the office according to law. The form of each bond shall be approved by the Board of Finance, and the Corporation Counsel, and no bonds shall be approved by said Board of Finance and Corporation Counsel as surely except fully to examine and consider all claims and accounts against the city submitted for its approval, and to approve by the signatures of a majority of its members such claims or accounts as it finds to be justly due.

SECTION 45.

Composation Composation as it those bends of some corporation authorized by the law of this state to give bends and become surely for bonds of municipal and other officials. The expense of all bonds required by this act shall be paid by the city.

Each department and each executive officer is hereby empowered to employ clerical Essistants when necessary, and to purchase necessary supplies, subject to the provisions of this charter and to the approval of the Board of Finance as to salaries and number of assistants, unless of herewise arounded.

ess otherwise provided.

SECTION 51.

Salaries of Clerical Assistants.

Each department and each executive

SECTION 5%. Play-grounds, Said Board of Finance may include an-